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SUBJECT: HUMAN RIGHTS MANIFESTO

1. EMB HAS OBTAINED AN ADVANCE COPY OF A HUMAN RIGHTS MANIFESTO WHICH IT UNDERSTANDS WILL BE WIDELY CIRCULATED. THE MANIFESTO WHICH BEARS THE NAMES OF OVER 120 OPPOSITIONISTS, REFERS TO UNSPECIFIED REPORTS OF HUMAN RIGHTS VIOLATIONS AND CALLS FOR AN EXHAUSTIVE AND IMPARTIAL INVESTIGATION.

2. THE MANIFESTO IS SIGNIFICANT IN THAT THE LIST OF NAMES BRINGS TOGETHER CONSERVATIVES AND THE DISPARATE ELEMENTS OF UDEL, I.E., THE SOCIALCHRISTIANS (PSC), OPPOSITIONIST LIBERALS (PLC), INDEPENDENT LIBERALS (PLI) AND THE SOCIALISTS (PSN). NAMES IDENTIFIED BY THE EMB INCLUDE: 15 PCN-P MEMBERS OF CONGRESS, EIGHT OTHER CONSERVATIVES AND 31 LEADING MEMBERS OF UDEL. IT IS DIFFICULT TO EXPLAIN WHY THE MANIFESTO WOULD BE COMING OUT NOW, SEVERAL MONTHS AFTER THE OPPOSITION PARTIES BEGAN TO FOCUS ON THE ISSUE OF HUMAN RIGHTS, OTHER THAN TO NOTE THAT THESE OPPOSITION ELEMENTS ARE MORE NORMALLY ATTACKING EACH OTHER THAN UNITING IN COMMON

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CAUSE AND, THEREFORE, OBTAINING AGREEMENT ON EVEN THE GENERALIZED

LANGUAGE OF THE MANIFESTO MAY HAVE BEEN TIME CONSUMING.

3. THE DOCUMENT AND FURTHER BREADKDOWN OF THE NAMES WILL BE
POUCHED.
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